

THE DIRECTOR OF  
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE


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NOTE FOR: DCI

Sir -- The attached was developed per your request. It is of particular interest in light of the Iran/Iraq NIE being on the NFIB calendar Thursday. Note the yellow tabs along the right margin-- (#1) The potential disconnect can at least be partially resolved by tying aid to specific, non-war-related projects and purchases--as has been done in the past; (#2) The alternative view was primarily espoused by D0 (the paper was worked with DI and D0), but some players in DI and outside the building (especially in DoD), would also support it. Emotionally, it is appealing to me also, but rationally, I see a need to do at least some of the things that this paper calls for. Let us know if we are off the mark, or can do more.

V/R,

  
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